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Pastor Rev. James Taylor. Preaching, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sabbath school, 9:45 a.m. Epworth League, 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. All cordially invited to attend.

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Regular church services at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School immediately after morning service. V. P. C. C. at 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. J. Humphrey Pierce, Pastor.

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M. BRENNER R. K.

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MRS. EVA PHETTS, Sec.

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Meets second and last Wednesday of each  
month. M. A. HUBBARD, P. C. H.  
F. M. FREELAND, H. S.

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of the moon. M. A. HUBBARD, P. C. H.  
MRS. NEALIE McNEVIN, R. S.

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Meets first and third Friday of each month.  
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EMMA AUGER, Record Keeper

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the G. A. R.**  
Meets the second and fourth Friday evening in  
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ANNA HARRINGTON, President.  
BERTHA OAKS, Secretary.

**Crawford County Grange, No. 934**  
Meets at I. O. O. F. Hall, first and third Satur-  
day of each month at 1 p. m.  
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MADE REILMON, Secretary.

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DA BORCHES, Sec.

**Travelling Lodge 473 I. B. of**  
**M. of W. E.**  
Meets every 2nd and 4th Monday in each month.  
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J. E. WINSLOW, Sec.

**Skandinavian F. F. E.**  
Meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month.  
PETER SVENSEN, President.  
JOHN OLSON, Secretary.  
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CHRISTINE NELSON, Sec.

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ter-Street and third Thursday evening of every  
month. Lecture all other Thursday evening.

**Unity Lodge No. 1362 M. E. A.**  
Meets the first and third Thursday of each  
month in the McCabe Hall.  
J. H. CRANDALL, Pres.

# PAPERS BY THE PEOPLE

## PIONEERING STILL COMPARATIVELY HARD.

By John A. Howland.

Forty years ago the United States saw the great movement to the west. Everywhere in the Mississippi valley country the resident saw the white prairie schooner drifting, as it were, with some vast tide wind, westward. "Kansan, or Bust"—was the motto painted upon the weather beaten white canvas of the wagons. Within the last year or more history has been repeating itself in a great measure. With the price of the round trip ticket and money for meals in his pockets, the young man-to-day may cover in hours a territory which required weeks and months in the early '70s. Many of these young men have been doing this; more of them will follow.

The old westerner of to-day decries the degenerating of the west as he found it. It is lacking in the old hardships and privations which required all his manhood to withstand when he was pathfinder in the wilderness. Sharp as present-day comparisons may be between the city and the new west, the old westerner looks upon it as child's play—distant, effeminate. He has forgotten that his hardships are half a century behind him now. He overlooks the fact that the desert upon which he settled has been blossoming for these many years. But blossoming as it may have been, civilized as the newer west today is, that young man from the centers of city life will find crude-flowering of the wilderness compared with the diversions and ease of the city which he has left so far behind him. He will need all his fortitude and spirit of his fathers.

## FARMER OWNS NATION.

By Isaac F. Marcossion.

The farmer, not the money king of Wall Street, is the real owner of the United States. The gleam of his fields is another Aladdin's story, only instead of rubbing a lamp he has simply scraped the ground.

Our recent crops last year were worth \$2,000,000,000, which is sufficient to pay for all the tools, implements and machinery of the whole of the United States. With this sum seems huge as it stands alone, you have only to go back a few years in the story of our agriculture to see the miracle of steady increase that has been achieved. Eleven years ago the value of all our farm products for a single year was reckoned at \$4,417,000,000. You have already seen how that figure was doubled by 1909. During these years the sum total that the soil has yielded the farmer is \$70,000,000,000. The advance is so steady and sure that you can almost calculate upon it year by year.

Compare this record with the ebb and flow of earnings in steel or any other industry, and you will realize as never before how agriculture keeps the even tenor of its way.

## UNPROGRESSIVE AMERICA.

By Clifford Howard.

We of this big republic complacently affirm the glory of our national achievements, and are not without temptation to acclaim them as proof of superior craft and judgment. But herein do we forget that we are on record as having cast our vote against every move that has contributed to the present century's development. We raised our voices in contemptuous protest against the first projected railways. Had the locomotive awaited its signal from the people, it would not yet have started. When the electric telegraph was shown to us, we brushed it aside as a toy, and laughed its inventor to scorn when he offered to sell us his rights for a few thousand dollars. We put into jail as an impostor the first man that brought antiseptic to market. We broke to pieces Edison's sewing machine as an invention calculated to ruin the working classes, and we did the same thing to the harvester and the binder. We scorned the typewriter as a plaything. We gathered together in mass meetings of indignation at the first proposal to install electric trolley lines, and when Dr. Bell told us to invent an instrument by means of which we might talk to one another across the town we responded with accustomed ridicule, and only the reckless among us contributed to its being. The Atlantic.

## EXCUSES FOR ADVERSITY.

By Willard Dillman.

By exercising sufficient good will, it is possible to believe that every adversity has its appointed use. The reviving breath of spring has no meaning in a land where winter is a myth. Health, which in its abundance is hardly held at a pin's fee, when it has once been lost will be diligently sought after at every further end. Bread and meat, coming to the point of being despised, to the starving become morsels of rarest luster. What is so precious to the aged as those golden hours which in his youth he flung away like grass? The joy that is vouchsafed today may be magnified in retrospect by future adversity, and should be the more eagerly enjoyed on that account. In like manner present disasters will be the better borne by considering that they may serve to heighten the pleasure of comforts that are on the way.

## ROOSEVELTS SAIL FOR HOME.

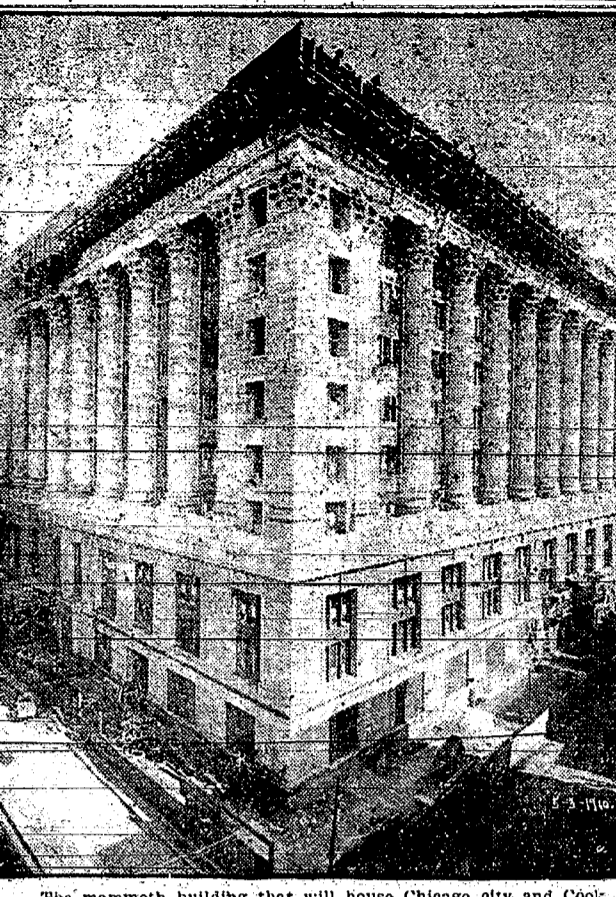
Ex-President Ends Tour and Starts with Family for America.

After fifteen months abroad Theodore Roosevelt, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Kermit, Ethel and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, on Friday, June 10, sailed from Southampton on the Hamburg-American line steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria for his native shores.

When the Kaiserin-Augusta-Victoria turned her prow westward Mr. Roosevelt found himself on the final lap of what in many respects has been the most remarkable journey accomplished by a private citizen. At the head of the Smithsonian African scientific expedition the former chief executive of the United States sailed on the steamer Emperor of Germany from New York March 23, 1909. Arriving at Naples, he transferred to the steamer Admiral and continued his journey, stopping at Messina, where he met King Victor Emmanuel of Italy. The arrival at Mombasa was made on schedule time, April 21, and soon afterward the hunting and educational expedition was begun and resulted in an unprecedented collection of African trophies.

Mr. Roosevelt on March 14 emerged from the jungle arriving at Kharum, where he met Mrs. Roosevelt and their daughter Ethel. The expedition had been disbanded late in the preceding month. Throughout his African journey Mr. Roosevelt was accompanied by his son Kermit, who went as the official photographer of the party, but turned out to be a splendid shot. Following the hunt Mr. Roosevelt was occupied with a series of speeches that have excited lively interest throughout the world. Also at this time was begun a program of entertainments in his honor such as had perhaps never before been arranged for one who had retired to private life. At Cairo he approved of the British rule and talked plainly to the nationalists. Then followed the exchanges with the Vatican, which resulted in his abandonment of the requested audience with the Pope. At Paris he delivered an address at the Sorbonne. At Christchurch he addressed the Nobel prize committee on the subject of international peace. He spoke before royalty at Berlin and was guest of Emperor William. Mr. Roosevelt's visit to Great Britain was marred by the death of King Edward. Unusual honors had been planned for him. As it was, he went to London as special American ambassador at the royal funeral. His final day in England was one of seclusion and rest.

## CHICAGO'S NEW CITY HALL AND COUNTY BUILDING.



The mammoth building that will house Chicago city and Cook county (Ill.) officials for years to come is now nearing completion. The handsome lines of Corinthian columns and the general mass of the granite structure can now be appreciated in all their beauty. The outlines are severely classical, although the cost was not more than what would be paid for an ordinary office building of similar proportions. When the city hall side is finished Chicago will have one of the handsomest and most modern municipal buildings in the world. The entire structure will inclose a space of 32,000,000 cubic feet and there will be 95,000 square feet of office space on each floor. The problem was to produce a building of monumental order, with all modern conveniences of light, sanitation, ventilation and comfort. This, it is said, has been achieved.

## TOO MUCH SMALL-POX.

A Public Scandal That Pests Should Be so Prevalent.

The prevalence of smallpox in this country has been for some time the subject of critical comment on the part of physicians, and medical publications have devoted a great deal of space to its discussion. The number of cases of smallpox reported to the surgeon general of the public health and marine hospital service during 1908 by the local and State health officers of the various States was 35,174. In Minnesota 7,631 cases occurred, giving a case rate per 1,000,000 population of 3.397. In Kansas there were 3,438 cases, with a case rate per 1,000,000 of 2.006, and Montana had 752 cases and a case rate per 1,000,000 population of 2.330.

The record is by no means accurate, owing to the difficulty in obtaining precise information. Competent authorities such as John W. Frank, of the United States public health and marine hospital service, estimate that in 1908 there were probably more than 70,000 cases of smallpox.

Smallpox was eradicated from the German army by systematic vaccination. It may be said, and with a considerable degree of truth, that means possible in an army are not available in an ordinary community. But smallpox has been eradicated, to all intents and purposes, from some of our States. Perhaps the most convincing argument in recent times in favor of vaccination has been submitted in the Philippines. The director of health in the Philippines in his annual report for the fiscal year 1907, says:

"During the year there has been unquestionably less smallpox in the Philippines than has been the case for a great many years previous. In the provinces of Cavite, Batangas, Cebu, Iloilo, La Union, Rizal and Zambales, where heretofore there have been more than 6,000 deaths annually from this one cause alone, it is most satisfactory to report that since the completion of the vaccination in the afore-said provinces, more than a year ago, not a single death from smallpox has been reported."

## PRESIDENT OF MEXICO EXPECTS RE-ELECTION.

President Porfirio Diaz of Mexico is paying little attention to the movement instituted in State capitals to put a new man at the head of the republic. When election time comes he has no doubt that the people will vote to re-elect him in office. He has served so long in the executive chair he feels that the people know him thoroughly and that no attacks of the few official enemies that he has made can injure him in their eyes. Previous attempts to elect a successor to Gen. Diaz have been made, but have failed signally and that, too, without any arduous campaigning on the part of the President.



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## ODDS & ENDS OF SPORT.

In a drizzling rain South Dakota University recently defeated Tabor College, from Tabor, Iowa, 6 to 0.

August 3, 1910, and 11 are the dates announced for the season's fair at the fair grounds, near the Southern Maryland Fair Association.

Custer, pacing record 2:05 1/2, is expected to make a low record trotting the coming season. It is claimed that in the past he has trotted a mile in better than 2:10.

Another international billiard tournament is being planned in New York. It will be for the international trophy which was won by the late John W. Grier, who was killed by a bullet fired by him when he became a professional.

Good-sized purses for both trotting and pacing events are offered by the Agricultural society of Douglas, Kansas. The society will hold its sixth annual fair and race meeting, September 28 to October 1.

The Ohio Racing Circuit has announced its program for the season, which commences at Hamilton, June 29, continues at Dayton, Xenia, Springfield, Lima and Findlay, and ends at the latter place on August 5.

By the scant margin of one point the University of South Dakota won first place in the triangular meet at Sioux City, Iowa, with Nebraska second and Minnesota third. Dakota scored 48 points, Nebraska 47 and Minnesota 46.

The New York board of education has decided for the season to prohibit school girls from wearing hats, in recommendation of a committee of women, the board has ruled that school girls have no business to run more than fifty yards, nor should they try to be hurdlers and broad jumpers.

In the opening game of the three-cushion carom billiard tournament for the championship of the world, played at New York recently Alfred de Oro won from Thomas Huston, the champion, by a score of 10 to 41, in fifty-six innings. De Oro's high run was 4 and Huston's 5.

Among the first entries received for the Grand Circuit Trotting meeting, to be held on the Empire track on August 23-27, under the auspices of the Trotting Horse Breeders' Club, were those of Louis W. Winkler of Havana, who has sent a string of horses to America in charge of A. C. Fennock.

## THE WEEKLY HISTORIAN.



- 1792—The first State Legislature of Kentucky met.
- 1800—First municipal court established in Boston.
- 1809—Christopher Gore inaugurated Governor of Massachusetts.
- 1812—The territory north of Louisiana was given the name of Missouri.
- 1819—Cornerstone laid for the Pennsylvania State capitol at Harrisburg.
- 1832—The Boston and Worcester Railroad incorporated.
- 1838—A band of Canadian rebels landed on Amherst island, near Kingston, and plundered the vicinity.
- 1845—The "True American" appeared in Lexington, Ky., edited by Cassius M. Clay.
- 1846—A convention met at Albany to revise the constitution of New York.
- 1848—Whig convention at Philadelphia nominated Gen. Zachary Taylor for President of the United States. First Sisters of Charity arrived in Buffalo.
- 1849—The first authentic case of Asiatic cholera appeared in Boston.
- 1850—The line of the Pennsylvania Railroad was completed to Huntington, Pa.
- 1854—A reciprocity treaty concluded between the United States and Canada.
- 1861—Gen. Beauregard assumed command of the Confederate forces at Manassas Junction.
- 1862—The Confederates, commanded by Gen. Johnston, attacked the left wing of the Army of the Potomac at Fair Oaks, Va., Memphis surrendered to the Union forces.
- 1865—Galveston, Texas, surrendered to the Federal troops.
- 1869—The Massachusetts State Senate refused to grant the right of suffrage to women.
- 1872—Construction of the St. Gothard tunnel through the Alps begun.
- 1875—Royal Military College opened in Kingston, Ontario.
- 1878—One hundred houses destroyed by tornado at Richmond, Va.
- 1887—Edward Blake temporarily relieved from the leadership of the Liberal party in Canada. First United States patent granted for monotype machine.
- 1888—National Democratic convention at St. Louis nominated Grover Cleveland for President of the United States.
- 1889—Flood at Johnstown, Pa., resulting from the breaking of a dam, destroyed 2,255 lives.
- 1890—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, welcomed at Ottawa. Duke and Duchess of Cornwall went on to Montreal.
- 1892—The "High Water Mark" monument at Gettysburg dedicated.
- 1893—Statue of Sir John Macdonald unveiled in Montreal by the Earl of Aberdeen. Hudson Harmon of Ohio appointed Attorney General of the United States.
- 1890—D. A. McIntyre became Lieutenant Governor of Maine and was elected to the French court of Cassation decided in favor of the revision of the Dreyfus verdict.
- 1900—Gen. John B. Gordon elected commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans.
- 1902—Peace of Pretoria ending the war in South Africa.
- 1905—President Roosevelt offered his services as a mediator to end the war between Japan and Russia. Norway withdrew from the union with Sweden.
- 1900—Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition opened in Seattle.

## LABOR.

The income for the last year of International Brotherhood of Bricklayers was \$444,793.31. Benefits paid out for the year were \$553,832.54.

Another attempt is being made to organize the Hebrew trades, an organization of 125 Jewish unions with a membership of 70,000, in Manhattan, has issued an order to the subordinates to take a referendum vote on a proposition to levy a \$1-per capita tax on all the members to start a fund for a Hebrew labor bureau.

The latest semi-annual report of the International Association of Machinists shows the receipts from all sources for six months to be \$211,110.10 and the expenditures \$172,232.12. The organization has \$47,877.98 invested in government and other bonds.

The United Trades and Labor Council of Cleveland, Ohio, has admitted defeat and surrendered to the Federation of Labor of that city. Henceforth there will be but one central body in Cleveland.

It is anticipated that the American Federation of Labor will have a strong central body to unify the unfair establishments of that city.

## TOOK THE GUARD'S PLACE.

Dr. Byles shouldered a Gun and kept himself from Escaping.

One of the most famous of the old Puritan divines was Dr. Mather Byles, who was born in Boston in 1692 and who was the first pastor of the Hollis Street Congregational church, to which he ministered for more than 49 years.

Dr. Byles was famous as a humorist and wit, and numerous anecdotes are related of his clever quips and retorts. He was a zealous Tory and warmly advocated the cause of the mother country against the colonies.

In November, 1777, he was arrested as a Tory, tried, convicted and sentenced to be confined on board a guard ship and sent to England with his family within 40 days. The sentence was afterwards commuted by the board of war so that he remained in his own house, a guard being placed over him with instructions not to permit him to leave his residence for a month under any circumstances.

## YESTERDAYS.



THE OLD-TIME REVIVAL.

You young folks back there, wash your hearts so light; your feet so gay.—Minneapolis Journal.

## FRENCH MAID OF ALL WORK.

Multifarious Duties of Housewife on a Salary of \$10 a Month.

In Paris the post of servant is not an easy one; this is of course judging from the household to be one of the most multifarious, with the maintenance of the very best. An average French family having an income between 12,000 and 15,000 francs a year, which is considered comfortable here, will employ one maid. She is known as a bonne, a four-faith maid of all work, and the care of the entire household falls to her. Blanche Alder Van Buren, writing in the Woman Beautiful, says she rises at about 6 o'clock, cleans the boots, brushes skirts and coats and prepares the traditional French breakfast of coffee and rolls. She then takes the little ones to school, as no children of good family go out alone. Upon her return maid perhaps has straightened the bed-rooms and is ready to go out to market with the maid. Sometimes the bonne does the buying alone, especially when she has been with the family some time or has gained the confidence of her mistress. When luncheon is safely on its way the mistress keeps an eye on its progress while the bonne goes for the children. Luncheon is the first important meal in the French home and consists of an egg or meat dish, a salad, a vegetable and dessert of cheese or fruit, always ending with coffee. If the children are not allowed to drink this they are given a canard (duck), which is a most delicious duck.

In the afternoon, when all is quiet, the bonne dresses neatly and settles down to do the mending for the entire family and to be ready to answer the doorbell. Soon it is time to bring the little ones home from school, after which she must prepare the evening meal.

Many families give the maid her leisure after dinner, but this is a recent innovation. To certain families the maid is still required to remain in the evening to light chance guests down the stairs, for the house lights usually are extinguished at 10:30, and the invisible janitress pulls a cord near her bed to let the people in or out after that hour. This is tradition—and when a mistress allows her maid entire freedom after dark she is departing from an old custom.

The maid in France works hard and is allowed very limited leisure; she is supposed to have every other Sunday afternoon and that is all. For

## WHITE WAY ON THE FARM.

With Only One Farmhouse a Distance of 100 Miles to the Nearest Village.

Yarrow is probably the smallest village in Missouri that has an electric light plant. A Kirkville (Mo.) representative of the Kansas City Star says: "The population of Yarrow consists of the families of a groceryman, a blacksmith, a miller and two retired farmers. Each family has its home brightly lighted by electricity. The electric light plant is owned and operated by Michael Webber, who has for twenty years or more run an old-fashioned water mill at Yarrow. Mr. Webber is an inventive man and recently he conceived the idea of attaching his water machinery to a turbine power dynamo and making electricity for himself and neighbors. A dynamo was installed at a nominal cost and for the first time in the history of the village of Yarrow electric lights were turned on recently."

Mr. Webber says he expects to put in a larger dynamo and to light the entire southwest corner of Adair county. He says further that the Charleston river as a source of water power should be developed as it has great possibilities for Kirkville and other towns near the stream. He is interested in a project to put a \$100,000 dam across the Charleston west of Kirkville and to install a modern power plant.

The dam that now furnishes power for his mill is only seven feet high and was built in 1849. For years it furnished the power for an old-fashioned water wheel, but more recently he has installed two wheels of comparatively late pattern which now give him approximately seventy-five horse-power, which is sufficient for grinding corn and buckwheat and running the dynamo for his light plant.

## UNITED STATES IS DENIED.

Nicaragua Threatens to Stop Vessels from Entering Harbor.

At the first shot fired against the American flag on an American vessel I will level the bluff. This was the reply made by Commander Harold K. Ruge, commanding the American gunboat Albatross, when threatened by General Rivas, of the Madrid force, holding Bluefields, Nicaragua, to stop by force any vessels of whatever nationality entering the harbor.

General Rivas has previously denied the United States, declaring that he will disregard the proclamation issued from Washington on May 21 to the effect that the United States government denies the right of either faction to seize American-owned vessels or property without consent of and recompense to the owners. He has warned Commander Ruge that he will prevent by force, regardless of flag, any further vessels from entering the harbor. In response to this, the American commander immediately sent to him the above message, which would mean the annihilation of the handful of Madrid troops now remaining in this neighborhood.

A critical situation has thus arisen which may involve the United States, but the American officers on the spot are of the opinion that General Rivas will not attempt to make good his threat in an effort to collect customs duties. There are constant rumors of threats against the life of Thomas P. Morgan, the American consul, and the whole situation at Bluefields, instead of quieting, has assumed a more serious aspect.

## WORK OF TAFT APPROVED.

Wisconsin Republicans Indorse President and State Administration.

The administration of President William H. Taft is strongly indorsed in the platform unanimously adopted at the Wisconsin Republican State convention in Milwaukee. The present tariff law is approved and the provisions for maximum and minimum schedules and future scientific revisions are commended. Gov. Davidson's administration also is indorsed.

Every mention of the President's name was followed by a demonstration. Vice President Sherman, who came from Washington for the purpose of addressing the convention, received a warm welcome. The matter of naming candidates for a State ticket was deferred and left for the primary election in September to decide.

With the selection of a campaign committee consisting of two members from each congressional district, and the choosing of William D. Connor of Marshfield as State chairman, the convention adjourned sine die. Mr. Connor's election was unanimous. He held the same office six years ago when La Follette was Governor.

## Family of Three Murdered.

James Harding, his wife and son, who lived sixteen miles southwest of Marshalltown, Iowa, were found murdered in their home. Their heads were beaten to a pulp.

## Pastor Found Dead on Train.

Rev. C. A. Hallberg, aged 40 years, pastor of a Swedish Lutheran church at Sheffield, Pa., was found dead in a seat on a Lake Shore train near Toledo, Ohio. He had complained of illness an hour previous.

## Yukon-Navigation Is Open.

Private cable advices received from Skagway say that the ice on Lake Laberge has broken up, thus opening navigation throughout the entire course of the Yukon river. The first boat left White River Tuesday.

## WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, widow of President Harrison, has departed for Europe, where she and her 17-year-old daughter Elizabeth will remain for two years. Mrs. Harrison goes abroad so her daughter may be educated in Europe, and in doing so she follows the example of the other widow of an American President. Mrs. Grover Cleveland, who is also in Europe, where her children are being educated.

A crew of surveyors, employed jointly by the government and the State of Minnesota, is making a survey of the river in the vicinity ofergus Falls, Minn. They wish to ascertain how much power is available for water power and to find out the possibilities of reservoirs for storage purposes.

After a conference with President Taft, Secretary Macfarland of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has announced that he will make a two-month trip to the Northwest and to Alaska, leaving Washington the latter part of June.

An air-drying and cooling plant, the invention of Dr. Stratton, superintendent of the bureau of standards, will be installed in the Senate and House chambers during the summer recess if Representative Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, has his way.

At a conference between President Taft, Secretary Ballinger and Secretary Dickenson, it was decided to send a troop of cavalry to quiet the Pueblo Indians at Taos, N. M., and restore order.

The most disgusting liar is the loafer who claims to be as good as an inquisitor.



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## HomeCircleDepartment

A column dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen—Pleasant Evening Reveries.

The greatest of all pleasures is to give pleasure to one whom we love

What is necessary to change a house into a home? If you know, attend to it at once.

How many people would be willing to write the secret thoughts of one day on a blackboard.

Are you always ready to distribute good cheer, sweet thoughts and tender remembrances?

The most sacred thing beneath the Cross of Christ is the heart of a pure woman. She is "God's last and best gift to man."

The world would be happier if the people were a little more generous with their praise. There is too much flattery, but a word of just appreciation would cheer the heart and strengthen the hands of many a discouraged worker in the home, in the church and in the world.

You may be broad as humanity in your friendliness for man. There is nothing to lose and much to be gained by rectifying the world with a smile and a grasp of sympathy. But be sincere. Let not so holy a thing as the spirit of friendship, even in its broader application, be desecrated by hypocrisy. Count yourself a friend to all men, though but one man be your friend. Live your lives thus generously; a word of cheer to the discouraged; a hand held out to the fallen; a mantle of charity to the lowly who sins and is caught at it. You will be a bigger man; you will find the world a better place to live in and you will leave it better than you found it.

Don't torment yourself about what people are going to think about this and that action. No matter what you do or leave undone, some one will criticize you severely, and the best rule for getting through life with comparative comfort is, after you have made up your mind as to the propriety and advisability of a certain course pursue it calmly, without paying the slightest attention to the criticisms of the lookers on from the outside. You see just because they are on the outside they can only see the surface. It does not matter in the least what they think.

### IF YOU WERE YOUR MOTHER.

If you were your mother—  
Would you like to have your attention called to your double chin, always a sensitive topic with the woman who takes on flesh with years?  
Would you feel merry at heart when your daughter begs you to stand up straight? Perhaps the slight stoop of the shoulders has come from carrying many domestic burdens in the days before "Father" was as prosperous as he is today.  
Would you like to wash dishes three times a day so that "Daughter" might keep up her piano practice, and then have rag-time and popular songs come floating out to the kitchen instead of scales and exercises?

Would you like the daughter who forgets to send her collars to the laundry, her gloves to be cleaned, or her ribbons to be pressed, borrow these little accessories from your own stock of carefully hoarded and neatly rainproof?  
Would you like to be held responsible for sending Mary's suit to the tailor's, Bess' gloves to the dyer and father's boots to the shoemaker, when each and every one of these individuals pass the aforementioned shops on their way to store or office?

Would you like to hear at regular intervals how beautiful Mrs. Jones sets her table and serves her meals, always with an air of invincible comparison? Perhaps you know that Mrs. Jones has a servant while you have none, or the Jones girls make pretty center pieces and look after the fern dish for their mother.

Would you like to act as alarm clock for the whole family of grown and half-grown children, and to receive groans and grunts instead of a cheerful "Yes mother," or "Thank you dear," in return for performing this office? Perhaps you would sometimes feel that your own day would start better if you might lie in bed until breakfast was ready, or that if Minnie would get up ten or fifteen minutes sooner she could fill about the kitchen with you. You see so little of her since she works downtown.

Would you like to have the photographs of your old-time friends packed away in the secretary drawer to make room for the latest stage favor?

its on the parlor mantel, and the few old-fashioned oil paintings and water colors you prize tucked into the attic? Would you not feel more than ever that you wanted to keep green the memory of friends who were not captious, whose photographs and handiwork bring back the happy days of your own girlhood?

Would you like to be told, when young folks are coming, that you need not bother to dress and put in an appearance? Would you not detect the truth behind this excuse—that your daughters were perhaps a bit ashamed of you, or feared that their friends might be bored by the presence of a chaperon?

Would it not make you very happy if some day the daughter who wonders why your hands look so ill would bring in her manicuring set and gently manipulate your work-worn fingers? Would it not make you look—and feel—younger if the pretty daughter whose daintily waved hair you secretly envy should spend an hour dressing your hair in which the white is beginning to show?  
And would you not feel younger and happier and stronger if your daughters and sons introduced you to their friends as a comrade rather than a household drudge?  
Look in your dear old mother's face some day when she is leaning back in her favorite chair and read the answer to these questions in her lined face and drooping shoulders.

### DEAR FATHER AND MOTHER.

I'm coming back to home and you, unless I'm hidden away. I've learned my lesson, served my time.

Since I have been away, And now I can only see The dear old farm and home, I'll work from morning until night, With not a wish to roam. I've seen enough of city life, And gilded hats of sin, I've drunk from out the tempting cup That holds a snake within. Thank God! I've killed the reptile now. And thrown the cup away. I long to be at home again, Wherever there is rest.

### Marvelous Discoveries

mark the wonderful progress of the age. Air flights on heavy machines, telegrams without wires, terrible war inventions to kill men, and that wonderful discovery, Dr. King's New Discovery—to save life, when threatened by coughs, colds, influenza, asthma, croup, bronchitis, hemorrhages, hay fever and whooping cough or lung trouble. For all bronchial affections there is no equal. It relieves instantly, its cure is sure. James M. Black of Asheville, N. C. R. R. No. 4, writes it cured him of an obstinate cough after all other remedies failed. 50c. and \$1.00. A trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Lewis & Co.

### Good Opportunity for Homeseekers.

There are thousands of acres of excellent land in the region north lying between Bay City and the Straits of Mackinaw, known as Northeastern Michigan.

This location has advantages which should attract homeseekers. It does not require vast irrigation expenditure to fit this region for the plow. There is abundant and wholesome water. It is not a treeless expanse and is never subjected to the destructive elemental disturbances that are common in the west. There is sufficient timber to furnish fuel and other requirements for the farm. The region has the highest possible capabilities for fruit development. It has been demonstrated that for apples and other small fruits it rivals the famous Pacific coast, and the fruit produced in Northeastern Michigan has a flavor nowhere excelled. It is a region well adapted to stock raising and many large stock ranches are in operation.

It is in touch with the best markets of the country and the shipping facilities are ample.  
It is, in a word, a region where the young man, standing at the threshold of man's estate, may begin life with bright prospects and an opportunity to make for prosperity and for himself a factor in the affairs of the community.

Persistent advertising has worked wonders in developing regions in the west and northwest which lack many of the advantages and resources of this northern part of Michigan. It will accomplish the results here if prosecuted with intelligent energy.

### A Dreadful Wound

from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fireworks, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Buckle's Arnica. Salve to prevent blood poisoning or gangrene. It is the quickest surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns or Piles. 25c. at A. M. Lewis & Co's Drug Store.

### Inspectors Making Rounds.

We are informed that the postoffice department has inspectors out through the country making an investigation as to whether publishers of newspapers are complying with the new law which requires them to demand and receive payment in advance from their subscribers. These employees who have the authority to examine the books, are now checking up those of the Iowa publishers, and it is probable that they will soon invade Michigan.

The penalty for neglecting or refusing to comply with this law is a denial by the postoffice department to

accept and transmit such publications through the mails at the regular newspaper rate of one cent per pound, and in case this should happen the publishers would be required to put a one cent stamp on each paper sent out. This would necessitate an increase in the subscription rate.

We are giving our subscribers this information so that they may know what may happen when the inspectors come to Michigan and visit the AVALANCHE office, if they find we are sending the paper to subscribers who are in arrears. The publisher will either have to discontinue sending the paper to those of its subscribers who are not paid up or affix a one cent stamp to every paper sent through the mails, which would increase the price of subscription one dollar per year.

Those who know themselves to be in arrears should lose no time in remitting enough to put them in good standing in the eyes of the postoffice department.

### Kept The King At Home.

"For the past year we have kept the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Mathukia, of Buffalo, N. Y. Easy, but sure remedy for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 25c. at A. M. Lewis & Co's Drug Store.

### SERIES OF LECTURES.

TO Farmers Along Railroads in Northeastern Development Bureau District.

The members of the state board of agriculture have appropriated funds and have authorized Prof. Taft, superintendent of Farmer's Institutes to run a "Good Farming Special" through the territory of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau.

This is to be a demonstration series of lectures. A large baggage car is to be equipped with a full line of objects to practically illustrate the lectures. In response to a request of the secretary of the bureau, lectures on dairy husbandry will be a feature, and for illustration of these lectures two dairy cows will be carried along. These cows are to be kept in model stalls, except as they are exhibited on the platform.

The train is to go from Bay City to Cheboygan over the D. & M., returning to Saginaw over the Michigan Central, thence to Clare via the Pere Marquette, stopping at as many places as possible.

As some of the best and most authoritative speakers of the state are to assist it is to be expected that this will be one of the most successful and interesting train yet run.

Hon. R. D. Graham, president of the state board of agriculture, writes, "I believe these railroad institutes are a good thing where the requisite crowd can be obtained, and I am sure your bureau will take care of that end of it." So inasmuch as this train is to be run as a special favor and an encouragement to the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, one interested in advancing the work is asked to show his appreciation by assisting in giving notice of these meetings.

The institute train will probably leave Bay City, Monday, June 27 over the D. & M. railroad stopping at many points on the way to Cheboygan. Leave Cheboygan, Thursday, a. m. over the M. C. and leave Saginaw, Saturday a. m. July 2, over the P. M. for Clare.

### Lovells Local.

S. E. Houghton has been doing some surveying for the Forest Farm Company.

The saw mill commenced cutting lumber Tuesday, and is now running full time.

L. E. Wright is now in E. B. Houghton's office. Ed has a good man at the books.

Mrs. Joseph Douglas, returned Friday.

C. A. Worst of Chicago arrived Saturday.

No services Sunday on account of Rev. Terhune's son meeting with an accident.

E. A. Pierce has returned.

E. R. Deckrow was here on business Wednesday.

C. W. Miller was doing business in Grayling Saturday.

Glen Owen was at Lewiston Thursday.

Crops are coming on in good shape at the ranch manager. Savage has a fine stand of peas and oats, the clover and alfalfa are doing well, with favorable weather from now on he will have a beautiful crop.

Alonzo Bessy has bought 40 acres of land and expects to put a house on the same soon. Mr. Bessy has traveled through the west, and spent some time in Washington looking at land but could not find what he wanted. He has concluded that Crawford county is a good place to locate, a wise conclusion. If more of our young men would open their eyes to the advantages and possibilities we have here, they would have good homes in a short time.

DAN.

### State Encampment, G. A. R.

Members of the Grand Army and the guests who will attend the state encampment at Holland, June 21, 22, 23 will be given just a touch of Venetian night as one part of their entertainment. Venetian night on Black Lake has become one of the most widely known grandest water spectacles produced in Michigan. At that time hundreds of launches, and thousands of other boats decorated with flowers, bunting and electric lights and the parks around the shores similarly decorated, transform the lake into a sea of beauty. While it will be impossible to produce all the features of this grand spectacle for the veterans because it is so early in the season, no small part of the display will be made for their enjoyment.

All the parks around the lake, Waukazoo, Virginia, Jenison, Macatawa and Ottawa Beach will be brilliantly decorated with bunting and in the evening will be a blaze of colored electric lights. The big hotels will be covered with bulbs and the lake will be filled with craft of all kinds also decorated, and illuminated. S. A. Miller, president of the Macatawa Park association promises to reproduce Venetian Night so far as possible at this resort, while the Holland Interurban will do likewise for Jenison and the various committees will look after the rest.

The military department of the state has promised to have present during the week the Battalion of naval reserves from Benion Harbor, and invitations have been sent to the naval reserves of Illinois, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Ohio to send their boats to Black Lake for the occasion. It is expected some of them will be able to accept as every year these boats visit the resort during their annual cruises. Thus in addition to the great military feature of the week will be added the naval feature in which the inland fleet will take a prominent part.

The life-saving crew at Macatawa Park will give exhibitions daily for the enjoyment of the crowds and this is no small feature. They will show the use of the life buoy, capsizing their boat and all the other work which makes their life one most interesting to watch.

Thousands of row boat and canoes will be at the service of the guests and Black Lake will offer a safe place for rowing, picnicking and fishing. Just outside the harbor is one of the best fishing grounds on the lake and tackle will be supplied to all who enjoy this sort of sport.

The arrangements for the children's campfire on Tuesday night and for the big general campfire Wednesday night are well under way as well as the plans for the parade of Wednesday. The girls drum corps is practicing each day and will present a fine spectacle clad as they will be in red, white and blue uniforms. The Civil War Musicians association has accepted an invitation to be present and will play the music to which the boys in blue marched in '61.

Among the speakers who have accepted invitations to be present for the big campfire aside from the veterans themselves, are the entire territorial and congressional delegation of Michigan with Governor Warner, Chase S. Osborn, the brilliant orator from the Soo, Amos Musselman of Grand Rapids and Lieut. Gov. Patrick Henry Kelly.

The hotel accommodations will be practically limitless because of the fact that all the big resort hotels which ordinarily do not open until July 1 will be opened for this week and for the benefits of the visitors alone.

### Rhodesian Pigmen.

Of the pigmen of northwestern Rhodesia a modern traveler writes: "The Batwa stand about four feet high and are long armed, short legged and ugly, being usually prognathous. The legs are disproportionately short, the feet large and the body is covered with a sort of down. Both sexes affect a state of comparative nudity. They have their own tongue, but usually know a little of the language of their neighbors. No attempt is made to till the open forest glades; they depend for food on game and what they steal from the fields and plantations of the surrounding tribes."

### Peculiar Charitable Idea.

The proposed home for indigent southern women in New York has met with such generous support on the part of northern women that the plan has been changed and widened. Instead of building the home in Virginia, as was at first proposed, it has now been determined to erect it near New York and to open it to both northern and southern women. It is planned to conduct it along the lines of the Louise home in Washington, where President Tyler's daughter spent her last days. The girls of aristocracy will be that the inmates shall be of gentle birth and respectable. Mrs. Le Roy Brown is at the head of the committee which is raising the necessary funds.

### Growth of Mahogany Tree.

The observations of H. N. Thompson, a conservator of forests for southern Nigeria, indicate that the mahogany tree grows much more rapidly than the number of so-called annual rings suggest. Mr. Thompson thinks that they show three or four well marked zones of growth each year, corresponding to the four seasons. Both forest trees and those grown in the botanical garden exhibit the same phenomenon. On the site of the town of Ijaye, destroyed 50 years ago, a forest has grown up containing mahogany trees with trunks exceeding ten feet in girth.

### REDUCED FARES

for the round trip to

## Holland, Mich.

account

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

Going June 20, 21 and 22 returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight of June 25, 1910.

For Particulars Consult Agents

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES

## Reduced Fares

For the round trip to

## SARATOGA SPRINGS

NEW YORK

account

B. Y. P. U. CONVENTION

Going July 5, 6 and inclusive; returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight of July 15, 1910.

For particulars, consult Ticket Agent

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

WRITE

ALPENA MARBLE & GRANITE CO.

for prices on

## Monuments & Headstones

and all kinds of cemetery work.

ALPENA, MICHIGAN.

## Graduation Presents!

We have them

Large or Small.

Just received a fine line

Best suited for the occasion.

## RINGS

Signet, set and diamonds.

## WATCHES

for the girls and young men.

Bracelets Cuff Links

Lockets Fobs

Necklaces Tie Pins

Belt Pins Chains

Mesh Bags Charms

Collar Pins Fountain Pens

Back Combs Military Sets

Hat Pins Umbrellas

Barrettes Pocket Sets

Sterling Silver Novelties

Souvenir Spoons

High Grade Stationery

We guarantee every article we sell.

## A. Peterson

Watchmaker and Jeweler.

### Michigan State Fair September 1910.

The attention of all farmers and others interested in horticulture and agriculture in the counties composing the Northeastern Development Bureau territory to the advisability of formulating plans for making a large and comprehensive exhibit of the products of the counties at the Michigan State fair to be held in September next. The premium list committee has revised the list in such a manner that the counties in this territory shall be in a class by themselves under the classification of "County Exhibits," in the department of farm products.

and in the department of grains, vegetables and fruits. The Development Bureau has agreed to double all first premiums in this class on the single entries if won by a resident of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau's territory; providing, however, that such winner furnishes a correct statement as to the number of acres upon which said crop from which the exhibit was taken, and the yield of the same.

Arrangements will be made whereby the exhibits from the territory in the Northeastern Development Bureau, shall be shown at the fair together. The advantages of this are clearly discernible. It will centralize the exhibit of a portion of the state that wishes especially to attract the attention of the public and to acquaint it with the productive capacity of the region now being exploited. As an advertising feature the value of this plan can hardly be overestimated, and besides the display will be more attractive and more effective than would be the case were the counties to make separate exhibits.

The idea of those who have undertaken this Development project is to use all legitimate efforts, to so advertise the region as to attract home-seekers. In unity there is strength, and these counties can, acting collectively, make an exhibit at the state fair that will inevitably attract wide attention and be productive of excellent results.

### The One Drawback.

It would be comparatively easy to establish a universal brotherhood of men if nobody ever found it need easy to try to borrow money.

### 1878. 1910.

With you for over a quarter of a Century.

## The Pioneer Store

With you for over a quarter of a Century.

## FIRST CLASS GOODS!

## RIGHT PRICES!

Always our Motto.

## We are headquarters for

## Groceries & Provisions

DRY GOODS, FURNISHING GOODS

SHOES, HARDWARE

FLOUR, FEED

LOGS, LUMBER, SHINGLES

BUILDING MATERIAL OF EVERY KIND

## Farm Produce

BOUGHT AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICE.

## Salling, Hanson Co.

If You Want to See

THE NEW THINGS YOU MUST COME WHERE THEY ARE.

Our Model Shoe Department is justly well known and well liked in all the country round about. It has never been more deserving of the patronage of all people than

## Right Now!

Inspection of our thoroughly complete stock of New Spring Footwear is cordially invited. We can please you in STYLE, QUALITY and PRICES.

## New Spring Dress Goods.

After all has been said that can be said, there remains so much that has been left unsaid that nothing short of an inspection will convey to your mind the real beauty and worth of these new Dress Fabrics. New Gingham in all the new Plaids and Checks. New white goods in Dimities and Flaxons. New Dress in all the leading colors. MEN'S SUITS in Blue, Gray and Green in all the new stylish cuts. Call and inspect them and you will be convinced that we are the Leading Dry Goods and Clothing Store.

## A. KRAUS & SON.

LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

### OUR AGENTS MAKE \$50.00 A WEEK

Selling new process water color portrait and gold frame. Costs 90 cents complete with glass, sells for \$1.00. Samples and instructions free. Young man in Ohio made \$22.00 in one day. We are the largest picture and frame house in the world. One general agent wanted in each county. Give us reference and we will extend you thirty days credit with steady, honorable employment at a big income. Our business is established twenty-five years. We are not in the picture and frame trust. We want honorable, trustworthy representatives only. You need no capital to work for us. We teach you how to make a success. Address at once WILLIAMS ART COMPANY, 2815 W. Taylor Street, Chicago, Ill. In answering state Saw advertisement in Crawford Avalanche.

### Choice

## Meats

Fresh or Smoked

Delivered to

## Your Kitchen

Phone No. 2

Have you tried our

Home-Smoked Hams?

We sell them whole

or sliced.

Yours for the

## Asking.

## Peoples Market

MILKS BRO'S Prop's.

### Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

In the matter of the estate of Daniel M. Byrne, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 12th day of May A. D. 1910, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said probate office, in the village of Grayling in said county, on or before the 12th day of September A. D. 1910, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 12th day of September A. D. 1910 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated May 12th A. D. 1910.

WELLINGTON BATTERSON,

Judge of Probate.

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## Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 16

### Local and Neighborhood News.

#### Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in advance. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want our money.

All advertisements, communications, correspondence, etc., must reach us by Tuesday noon, and can not be considered later.

Everybody remember the ball game today.

See "The Life of Moses" at the Temple Theatre, Monday, June 20.

Trains from Manistee will whistle in Grayling before July first.

Dwelling-houses and corner-store building for sale—L. Pournier. 13tf

See "The Life of Moses" at the Temple Theatre, Monday, June 20.

FOR SALE—Oak Sideboard \$10.00, Lewis & Co's Drug Store. may12

Don't forget the base ball game today between Wolverine and Grayling.

Let me quote you a price on Royal or Asbestos Roofing, put on. F. R. Deckrow.

Beech and Maple Block Wood for furnaces. Leave orders with

SALLING, HANSON COMPANY

Fine Bathroom Outfit in display window No. 400 Cedar street. F. R. Deckrow.

For repairs on automobiles and bicycles call on Oliver Ralph at Olson's automobile barn.

Ten acres of land containing three houses, on south side for sale cheap for cash. Enquire at this office.

A. LaChapelle went to Gaylord, Thursday on business and while there attended the base ball game.

Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Insley and son, C. A. Canfield, H. Hanson and G. W. Slade went to Gaylord, Thursday to attend the base ball game.

Champion wrestling match at Fredrick, Saturday evening June 18, 1910, between Frank Burns of Boyne City, and Clyde North of Vanderbilt.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold on a guarantee that if you are not satisfied after using two-thirds of a bottle according to directions, your money will be refunded. It is up to you to try. Sold by all dealers.

For plastering and other mason work and estimates of work in my line, call or address Wm. Fairbrother, Grayling, Mich. 13-1f.

For samples on fine Ladies' Dress Goods call on Mrs. E. Brollin. Phone No. 613. At home from 7 a. m. till 1 p. m. June 16-31.

Who can beat this? Holger Hanson and Charles Behr caught two Rain-bows in their net, a short distance below, weighing three pounds and ten ounces a piece and measuring 19 1/2 inches, respectively.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will brace up the nerves, banish sick headache, prevent drowsiness and invigorate the whole system. Sold by all dealers.

The Bell coffee are always good. If you have not tried the Bell Southern coffee at 25 cents a pound, you have not tested the best coffee for the price. There is done what is possible to do to save its strength and flavor and it is packed in 1-lb. tin cans. Salling Hanson Co.

The new constitution of Michigan requires all circuit judges to be elected in April 1911 and every sixth year thereafter, and the primary election for the nomination of circuit judges must be held the first Wednesday in March preceding the April election in each sixth year when judges are to be elected.

Lame shoulder is almost invariably caused by rheumatism of the muscles and yields quickly to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is not only prompt and effective, but in the way of being agreeable to use. Sold by all dealers.

J. H. Cook has now ready a fine lot of Cabbage and Potato plants for transplanting, also green Onions, Lettuce and Radishes ready for the table. All kinds of garden truck during the season. City Phone 414.

The Danish Young People's Society have obtained tickets, Anasors from Grand View College of Des Moines, Iowa, to give a lecture at Danebod Hall, Thursday, June 16th. Coffee and cake will be served after at 10 cents.

If you are not satisfied after using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, your money back. These tablets cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the digestion, regulate the bowels. Give them a trial and get well. Sold by all dealers.

Wanted—100 men to peel 5000 cords of bark; good timber and good wages, \$2.50 per cord, peel and stump pile camps; Ekerman, D. S. & A. R. R. Peninsula Bark & Lumber Co., Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

"It cured me," or "It saved the life of my child," are the expressions you hear every day about Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This is true the world over where this valuable remedy has been introduced.

No other medicine in use for cholera or bowel complaint has received such general approval. The secret of the success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is that it cures. Sold by all dealers.

Tuesday was "Flag Day" but seemed to be almost entirely forgotten here. We have not heard that it was even mentioned in the school.

A mild case of scarlet fever was reported in the village the first of the week, but every precaution is being taken, to prevent the spread of the contagion.

The Grayling base ball team will play the Mancelona team Saturday and Sunday, June 18 and 19. These games promises to be the fastest of the season.

Deputy Sheriff Clark captured two guns Monday, which had been stolen from Mr. Van Amburg, and the capture of the thief is only a matter of a little time.

Our "Sweet Girl Graduates", and the "Boys" are beginning to feel that the agony is nearly over, and that they will have time to rest, which they will gladly welcome.

H. Holbrook and family were agreeably surprised Wednesday morning by the arrival of his nephew, William S. Hazlet of Sandusky, Ohio. It was his first visit to this new world.

There will be a pleasant time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Maloo in Maple Forest, next Saturday evening. They are noted for their hospitality, and are always glad to welcome their crowds of friends.

A letter from our former townsman George Tyler says they are permanently located at Los Angeles, and will be glad to hear from their friends and have the AVALANCHE's side after them, at 1129 Dewey Ave. in that city.

The completed plans for the new hospital have been received, and the work of building will soon begin, and be pushed to completion. Such an institution has long been needed, and this central location is all that could be desired.

The birth rate continues to exceed the death rate in Michigan, according to the monthly statement issued by the Secretary of state. A total of 3,428 deaths in the state during April, corresponding to an annual death rate of 15.2 per one thousand population.

The number of births was 4,583, or an annual rate of 20.4 per thousand.

Sheriff Amidon, with his wife attended the convention at Bay City last week, and he reports one of the most pleasant and profitable meetings he has ever attended of the kind, but he has been looking terribly gloomy since his return, just because Mrs. Amidon went to Owosso, to visit old friends a while before coming home, and he is lonely. It only proves the proverbial selfishness of men.

The little advertisement that has already been given this section of the state by the Northeastern Development Association, though their work is not yet fully systematized, is bearing fruit. A gentleman from Indiana, a practical farmer, whose card is mislaid and name forgotten, has been looking over the county the past week and has decided to live here for himself, which means the coming of others who know him, and will accept his report.

The Citizens Committee of Manistee, who are arranging for a grand Fourth of July celebration are evidently "on deck," and want the best. Knowing that the new railroad will be able to give them a train from this place, they have made application for the "Best Band" and the Grayling B. D. Club, for the day. If the arrangement is completed, we will show our new neighbors a clean gang that can make noise enough for the whole camp.

The Agricultural College with the cooperation of the Detroit and Mackinac Michigan Central and Pere Marquette Railroads, will have charge of a Farmers' Institute Special train, which will run through the northeastern counties of Michigan. The train will start from Bay City on Monday morning, June 27th, and three days will be taken for the run to Chazy, over the Detroit and Mackinac.

The return trip to Bay City will be made in two days over the Michigan Central, from which point the train will go on the Pere Marquette to Chazy.

H. Birdsall, of West Branch, contractor and builder began the work of adding to, and rebuilding the New Russell Hotel yesterday. They will add a front 34x50 feet with porch, and fill basement three stories high and add a third story to the present building, giving when completed 51 sleeping rooms, and commodious of floor, parlors and dining rooms, with ample kitchen, laundry and store-rooms. The heating and plumbing will be up-to-date and our people are to be congratulated again on having a long desired first class hotel.

A formal reception was given Miss Josephine Russell last evening by our citizens, at Danebod Hall. But our early press hour prevents a special report. In the expected changes in the teaching staff next year we believe that none will be more sincerely regretted than is caused by the fact of her decision not to return. In the years that she has had charge of the primary department, her work in every way has been so well-nigh perfect, that her going causes universal regret, and to the many it will seem like parting with a personal friend. Her personality is stamped upon the little ones in her charge in such a way that the children love so freely and gladly given by them now, will live through all the years of their memory, and the influence of her christian life and character will not be forgotten by our people, all of whom recognize her ability and worth.

## Fourth Class Postmaster Examination

Saturday, July 16, 1910.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date named above an examination will be held at Grayling, Michigan, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster of class A at Frederic, Mich. and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$518 for the last fiscal year.

Age limited, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured at Frederic and Grayling, Michigan, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within 7 days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

U. S. Civil Service Commission.

## Grayling vs Gaylord.

Many of our people took the train last Thursday to Gaylord to see Grayling's first baseball game of the season.

The game started about 4 o'clock with our boys up to bat.

No scores were made in the first two innings and when Gaylord made one in the third, they seemed to think that the game was won by them, but soon found out that our boys could play ball.

Johnson pitched effective ball for Grayling throughout the entire game, having nearly his own way.

We can not say much about the outfielders because not many hits were placed within their reach, but the infielding was excellent, which goes to show that "Our Boys Always Play Ball." Score by innings:

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Grayling: 0 0 0 2 1 1 0 0 3

Gaylord: 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0

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Children's Day in the

Presbyterian Church.

The trustees of the Presbyterian church have secured the use of the beautiful Danebod Hall for the present for their Sunday services, and while their church is undergoing repairs, last Sunday morning found the congregation there. At 3 p. m. the annual Children's Day services were held there in the presence of a crowded house.

This consisted in appropriate music, class exercises, recitations and promotion exercises. The children and youth showed excellent training and did well. The closing exercise on the program was a class of twelve in Miss Russell's department who, after a course of instruction, received their promotion diplomas. The concert so rendered by Mr. Walton was much enjoyed.

The ordinance of baptism was administered to the infant child of Mrs. Baker of Flint.

The past six months of the Sabbath School shows progress in all departments of its work.

## Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, June 19, 1910.

Mid week prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. at church, also Annual meeting of Congregation.

Preaching in Danebod Hall at 10:30 a. m. Subject—The Christian's Contract With The World.

Sabbath School at 11:45 a. m. A. B. Failing, Sup.

C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Topic—"The Yoke of Christ," Leader—Sam Phelps.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m. This will consist in a Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the High School, and will be a union service. All the services of the day will be in the Danebod Hall.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

J. HUMPHREY FLEMING, Pastor.

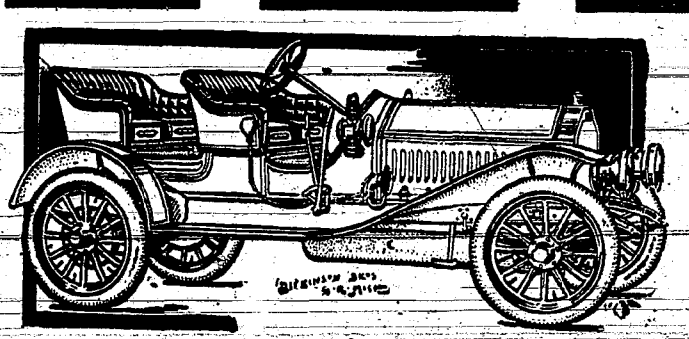
The Annual Congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Society will be held in the Presbyterian church Thursday evening at 7:30. Members of Congregation take note and please be there.

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M. E. Church.

Sunday, June 19, 1910.

10:30 a. m. Public Service. Subject—"General Rules of the M. E. Church."

11:45 a. m. Sunday School.

2 p. m. The annual memorial sermon before the Grayling Order of Odd-Fellows. Subject—"Unforgotten Kindness."

6:30 p. m. Epworth League. Subject—"The Christian's Secret. Leader, Mr. McNeven."

7:30 p. m. Union services in the Danebod Hall.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Died June 12th 1910, Eunice White, low, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Window, of Suppression of Mastoid Glands, aged 3 years. Funeral at house Tuesday afternoon. Buried in Elmwood cemetery. Rev. J. H. Fleming, officiating.

The Crown Chemical Co. will receive two more carloads of machinery this month, and will continue the installation of more until the plant reaches at least the one hundred cord mark. They are now running night and day.

U. J. Shirts was overcome by the heat Tuesday. He had driven the hearse to the home of Walter Window, and while waiting for the close of the funeral service, felt approaching faintness and called for water, but became unconscious and as the funeral cortege was coming out, he was carried into the house and a physician called, who soon restored him to consciousness and he was taken to his home. He was on the street yesterday, but feeling weak from the experience.

Secretary A. C. Cargn says it is the intention of the public domain commissioners to have in operation a force of twenty-five mounted policemen who will endeavor to prevent the spread of forest fires on the state reserves which are located principally in Roscommon and Crawford counties contain 275,000 acres of standing timber. In Roscommon a cement block house will be erected to be occupied by the state forester and from this point he will direct the movements of the mounted patrolmen. It is planned to erect stations at various points on the reserve, which will be equipped with lookout towers rising to a height of thirty feet above the trees so that a watchman can readily detect any fire which might originate in his particular territory. These stations will be equipped with telephones so that in the event of a large fire an immediate alarm may be sounded and the entire force be called to the scene.—Roscommon News.

# Special Sale!

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June 17th and 18th

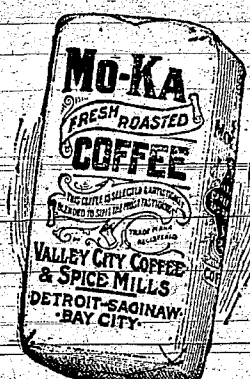
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## For Sale.

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